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VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

Proposed sailings from Hongkong.

City of Rio de Janeiro (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) THURSDAY, April 12, at daylight.

City of Peking (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) THURSDAY, May 3, at 1 p.m.

China (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) FRIDAY, May 15, at 1 p.m.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, 12th April, at daylight, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

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Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m., same day. All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

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For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 7, PRINCE STREET, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, March 24, 1894. 549

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For further Particulars, apply to H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent, F. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 20, 1894. 552

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusion of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore K., and those in the body of the shipping or midway between each shore are marked C., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section 1. From Green Island to the One Works. 2. From the One Works to Jardine's Wharf. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office. 4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Paddis Wharf. 6. From Paddis Wharf to the Naval Yard.

Section 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From East Point to Kowloon Island. 10. Kowloon Island. 11. Jardine's Wharf.

Section 12. From Kowloon Island to the Naval Yard. 13. From the Naval Yard to the Harbour Master's Office. 14. From the Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. 15. From the P. and O. Co.'s Office to the Harbour Master's Office.

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SHIPPING IN CHINA, JAPAN, PHILIPPINES & SIAM.

WHAPOA.

Yam's Name. Flag & Co. Destination.

Amoy. Ger. str. Canton. Brit. str. Danton. Ger. str. Fushun. Chi. str. Kailong. Brit. str. Ningpo. Ger. str. Progress. Ger. str. Riversdale. Brit. str.

AMOI. In port on March 25, 1894. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

Chiyon. Chinese. Namsa. British. Oki. British.

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Elizabeth. Ger. bgo. Orient. Ger. bgo.

FOOCHOW. In port on March 24, 1894. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

Pekin. Chinese. Hsienlin. Chinese.

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Anna Bertha. Ger. bgo. Nansimo. Brit. bgo.

SHANGHAI. In port on March 18, 1894. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

Aden. British. Agamemnon. British. Apprade. German.

Amam. British. Calédonien. French. Ching Ping. Chinese.

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Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Ship	Reg.	Tons	Guns	H.P.	Captain	Where at.
Albatross	despatch vessel	1700	4	3180	Commander De Lisle	Hongkong
Albatross	cruiser 3rd class	1770	6	—	Comd. Scott Rogers	Singapore
Albatross	cruiser 3rd class	1400	14	1440	Captain Oh. J. Norcott	Yokohama
Albatross	cruiser	1140	—	—	Commander MacArthur	Shanghai
Albatross	surveying ship	740	—	—	Commander A. M. Field	Penang
Albatross	g-b. 3rd class coast defence	313	—	340	Comd. Ravenhill	Shanghai
Albatross	g-b. 3rd class	433	—	460	Lieut.-Com. L. G. Tufnell	Hongkong
Albatross	twin screw battle ship	8400	10	10000	Captain J. M. McQuibban	Singapore
Albatross	cruiser 2nd class	4900	10	5500	Captain Count Metaxa	Bangkok
Albatross	gun-boat 2nd class	750	6	1050	Commander Bearcroft	Hongkong
Albatross	gun-boat 2nd class	5730	13	7500	Capt. Wilmet H. Fawkes	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	2500	20	7500	Captain Angus MacLeod	Singapore
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Lieut.-Com. Alexander Linton	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Lieut.-Com. Phillips	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Hon. La.-Com. F. C. B. Addington	Shanghai
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Lieut.-Com. Hugh Cotesworth	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Lieut.-Com. O. S. M. J.	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Captain Henderson	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Commander Kirby	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Captain Biggs	Hongkong
Albatross	gunboat 1st class	750	6	1200	Commander Boyes	Hongkong

Torpedo Boats in Reserve Nos. 3, 20, 35, 36, 37 and 38, first class; and 3 second class boats.

* Flagship of Vice Admiral the Hon. E. Fremantle, K.C.B., O.M.G.

U. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Captain.	Where at.
Admiral Korniloff	Russian cruiser	5000	—	—	Captain Elitchinoff	Nagasaki
Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian ironclad	7731	—	—	Captain Lavroff	Yokohama
Albatross	Russian gunboat	800	—	—	Captain Parrenago	Nagasaki
Alet	U. S. corvette	1020	8	—	Captain Durand	Shanghai
Albatross	French gunboat	470	4	450	Commander Journef	Kiungking
Albatross	U. S. cruiser	4500	—	—	Captain W. R. Bridgman	Yokohama
Albatross	Portuguese gunboat	460	—	—	Captain H. Cavalliere Athayde	Macao
Albatross	French gunboat	500	—	—	Capt. Dargie de Fourmet	Yokohama
Albatross	American cruiser	1700	—	—	Captain Goodrich	Hongkong
Albatross	Portuguese gunboat	708	—	—	Captain Gomes	Macao
Albatross	French cruiser	2530	—	—	Captain Redout	Yokohama
Albatross	German gunboat	450	4	330	Captain Sandelin	Shanghai
Albatross	French gunboat	800	—	—	Capt. Granier	Shanghai
Albatross	Austrian cruiser	4500	—	—	Captain A. R. v. Becker	Singapore
Albatross	Russian man-of-war	1200	—	—	Captain Ph. Filisoff	Vladivostok
Albatross	U. S. cruiser	2120	—	—	Capt. McDermack	Singapore
Albatross	French gunboat	450	—	—	Lieut.-Com. Papax	Yokohama
Albatross	French gunboat	425	4	425	Captain Mary	Bangkok
Albatross	U. S. corvette	1900	7	1170	Commander Gridley	Yokohama
Albatross	Russian cruiser	1700	—	—	Captain V. Brandt	Hankow
Albatross	U. S. sloop	1374	8	1470	Lieut.-Com. Emory	Shanghai
Albatross	U. S. gunboat	854	—	—	Lt.-Com. V. H. Doughton	Hongkong
Albatross	French gunboat	540	—	425	Lieut.-Com. Doughton	Singapore
Albatross	Spanish cruiser	3000	—	—	Captain Vilers	Manila
Albatross	French cruiser	4500	—	—	Capt. Borel de Brétil	Saigon
Albatross	Spanish cruiser	1130	6	1600	Captain Diaz	Shanghai
Albatross	Spanish gunboat	1000	—	—	Captain Fernandez	K'ion Dock
Albatross	French cruiser	4400	15	600	Captain Fernandez	Shanghai
Albatross	French gunbo	450	4	425	Commander Constella	Saigon
Albatross	Russian cruiser	2560	—	—	Captain Zarine	Nagasaki
Albatross	Russian cruiser	324	6	340	Captain Krutchmann	Yokohama
Albatross	Japanese cruiser	1200	—	—	Captain Kawan	Yokohama
Albatross	Russian cruiser	500	—	—	Captain Dornikow	Foochow